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J. M. SLOAN, DENTIST.

AT POTOSI from the 1st to the AT BISMABCK from the 22d to the 29th.

M. E. RHODES. Attorney at Law. POTOSI, MO.

restice in all the courts of the

BRAIN POWER IN THE SEXES

One Authority Declares That Woman is the Equal of Man in Respect of Ability.

Doctors have been discussing the comparative brilliancy of woman's brain as compared with man's.

Doctor Baruch of Columbia, says that woman's gray matter does not compare in brilliant manifestations with that of man. Now to their res cue has come Doctor Dorland of Chicago, who maintains that woman has every whit as much brain as man and quite as much brilliancy, proving his contention by the names of 400 wom-

He further says that woman has only really emerged from the background during the last seventy-five years, not long enough for her to chieve those heights reached by unfettered man. Her finer sensibilities, her quick intuition have been a pow erful incentive in the building up of civilization. What matter if she is inconsistent, illogical, physically frail? These qualities do not discount the fact that all the same she may pos-

Who denies mentality to man ever though he is known to possess boast fulness, conceit and pride, which qual ities he is pleased to call foibles?

Among the four hundred wome cited as proving the contention of woman's brilliancy equaling man's, are Queen Elizabeth, Catherine of Russia. Mme. Curie, Rosa Bonheur, Ellen Terry, Frances Willard, George Sand, Julia Ward Howe, and Florence Nightin-

EARLY HISTORY OF EUROPE

Confederation of Germanic Tribes the Foundation of Countries of Germany and France.

The name Franks was applied about the middle of the third matury to confederation of Germanic triber dwelling on the middle and lower Rhine. Later they became divided into two principal groups—the Salians, inhabiting the districts on both sides of the lower Rhine, and the Ripunzians, settled on the middle Rhine. In the third and fourth centuries hordes of them began to move southwards and afterwards into Gaul. In 318 Emperor Julian, although he defe...ed the Salian invaders, allowed them to establish themselves permamently in Toxandria, the country be tween the Meuse and the Scheldt. From this time Frankish chiefs and warriors frequently served in the Roman armies; and during the fifth century they rendered valuable service to the empire by stemming the tide of barbarian invasion. By this time the Salian Franks had made themselves masters of northern Gaul, while the Ripuarians were concentrated around Cologue. Under Hlodowig or Clovis, king of the former confederation, the Franks were converted to Christianity, while by his conquests in central Caul, and by his subjugation of the Alemanni and the Ripuarian Franks, he not only extended his dominious as far as the Loire in the one direction and the Maine in the other, but he laid the foundation of what subsequently developed into the kingdom of France.

\$100 Reward, \$100 F. J. CHEWERT & CO., Toledo, O.

LOCAL IJEMS

The shortest day yesterday.

Merry Christmas to all our readers What about that Christmas wed

The winter so far has been exceed ingly mild. Miss Corinne Cheatham is visiting in St. Louis.

Cash your Produce at the Brecker idge Produce Co.

nts, at Woolford's. What has become of that movemen

Books of all descriptions, for pres

or better sidewalks? Harry Brannaugh of Pevely visited

homefelks here last week. Christmas Candies in Holiday Box-

es at The Hite Confectionery

5.90 10.50 3.36 8.50 5.85 11.10 3.50 9.05 Mrs. M. G. Bell and son, Wilson spent last Friday in St. Louis.

Judge and Mrs. F. E. Cole of Belgrade were Potesi visitors this week. Mr. Stanley Nichols of Des Moines

lows, visited relatives here last week. An Eastman No. 2. Autographic Kodak makes a splendid present, At Woolford's.

for a large, handsome wall calender

School will close next Friday for the holiday vacation until Monday, January 3d. Mr. J. M. Goforth of Peoria was one

of our caller Tuesday, to renew his

Confectionery. Mrs. J. W. Parker of Berryman was

in Potosi Friday, enroute home from a visit in Arkansas. Mr. J. E. Recar of Cruise was in

Potosi Monday paying taxes and feeling the political pulse Mr. Wm. Allen of Eye was in to se

us last Saturday and left a dollar to make our Christmas merry. Miss Dera Livingston left Monday

last to spend the holidays with relatives at Leavenworth, Kan. Mr. K. C. Paul of Old Mines was visitor at this office last Wednesday

and left us a subscription dollar. Wm. J. Wilkinson, a well-known

home in Belgrade on the 21st inst.

our delinquent subscribers don't care a darn whether our Chistmas is merry market for their grain.

Mr. John H. Neeley and son of Sunlight were in Potosi Tuesday and

pard of this place.

We wish all our friends and customers a Merry Christmas and a happy, prosperous New Year.

Maxwell.s Dry Goods Store. Potoei's socially inclined young gentlemen have issued invitations for on Tuesday evening, December 28th.

John Elbert Payne, a driller employed in the Red Onion shaft of the to settle in court. Doe Run Lead Cor at Leadington was erushed to death by falling rock one lay last week.

Mr. Meeks of Tiff visited our sanccan taking some time back.

George Stanfill of Bonne Terro is tentative candidate for the Republican nomination for Congress in this district. Come on in boys, the water's fine and the game open to all.

Walter Northcutt of Bonne Terre moved with his family to this place this week. Mr. Northcutt is employed by Barney Ernet to do the work at his blacksmith and wagon making shop. Perryville Republican.

ident and farmer of Concord Town- bereabouts, where this flint soil preship, died at his home in the Hickory vails so generally, will readily under-Grove neighborhood on Dec. 15th, at stand our conclusions in this matter the age of 50 years. He was a brother of Mrs. S. D. McGready of Potosi.

Mr. Wm. Goforth of Peoria was in ents-Potosi last Friday on his way home from St. Louis, having accompanied his brother, Ray Goforth, that far The latter was proceeding to Colorado Springs to enter the Modern Woodmen's sanatarium located there.

Mr. Chester Forrester of Irondale was a visitor at this office Saturday to renew the subscriptions of his father, H. B. Forrester, and brother, John Forrester. He reported that his mother, who was severely injured in a runaway accident near Leadwood one day recently, was improving slowly, but was not yet able to return to her home at Irondale.

FOR SALE

Forty acres good timber, mostly purchase of railroad ties and mine of the fine Sawyer farm north of Bisonk, mear Shirley, \$160. W. M. Val- props. See my representative on the march, and that they will reside there.

Breckenridge Produce Company for Full line of Eastman Kodaks and

Films at Woolford's. . The holiday trade seems a little slack here this season.

Sherman Thurmond and Sam Wall were killed in the Kelsey mine, near Morrelton, Monday night about ten e'clock. Three men were being let down the shaft in a tub, Alex Powell being the other man. The tub is said to have struck the side of the shaft, and tipping, let Thurmond and Wall fall to the bottom, about 70 feet. Both had their necks broken .- Sullivan News.

Firmin Castleman was in Jefferson City Monday before the State Capitol Commission and landed the order for furnishing the hardware for the fine new Statehouse for his concern, the Shapleigh Hardware Co., of St. Louis. The contract price was \$11,175 and Mr. Castleman has been working to this end for the past two years .-Farmington News.

Mrs. Sarah Stringer, aged 94 years, 10 months and 15 days, and who was one of the few remaining real daughters of the American Revolution and the only one residing in Missouri died at her home at Elvins on Dec. 15th. Her father was a soldior in the The Bank of Potost has our thanks army of General Washington, and was with him during the terrible winter at Valley Forge, where the soldier had his toes frozen off.

The remains of John E. McAviney. who died at St. Mary's Hospital, St. Louis, on Dec. 14th, were futerred here in the Catholic Cemetery last Thursday morning. He was 42 years of age and a son of the late Thomas You are sure to be pleased with a McAviney of this place. During the Box of fine Chocolates from The Elite Spanish - American war he served in a Missouri volunteer regiment and later three years in the Phillipines as a member of the regular army.

We are in receipt on another article and list of names from T. W. Farnham of Richwoods, who is working up the "Wolf Week" idea, which arrived too late to be set up for this issue. He has secured many more pledges to his bounty fund, and with the regular county and state bounty, the reward for each wolf killed in the county during the holiday week drive will amount to twenty or thirty dollars.

The Ironton flouring mills, which have been in operation since 1868 have shut down, and there seems to be little prospect that they will resume business again. This doesn't look eitizen of this county, died at his like Ironton is overwhelmed with prosperity. The Ironton Enterprise says the farmers down there are going Don't leave town without a box of to be the heaviest losers by the closing fine Chocolates. They are here at of these mills, as it deprives them of The Elite Confectionery. a local market for their wheat. How-We are forced to the conclusion that

Last Saturday evening a young man named Henry Meyers, son of George Meyers, of this locality, eutermade this office a visit to settle with ed the store of the R. M. Bugg Mercantile Co. to see about an account he Mrs. Bert Hunt of Modoc, Ind., is a was owing there. In discussing the sning. new reader of the Journal. Mrs. matter with Henry Plynn, book-Hunt was formerly Miss Irene Shep- keeper for the company, he raised a both of these services. disturbance, which Henry did not like and properly resented. Meyers then drew a knife and made a lick at Henry with it, cutting bim in the left side just under the heart. Fortunateenough to make a serious wound After doing the cutting, Meyers left "Program Dance" at Blount's hall the store and hiked for parts unknown at present. Should he show up again, he will learn that in addition to his store account he has one he will have

We made a trip out on the Caledoma road one day recently to review the new road work on that highway and were impressed with something w um last Wednesday for the kindly saw that might give a valuable hint hauled several miles. Anyone who come before the meeting. has taken occasion to observe the Mr. A. T. Denton a well-known res. smoothness of the unmade ridge roads Attest

Woolford has just put in a nice line of Jewelery, suitable for Xmas pres-

Ludies' Watches. Rings. Lavalliers, Thimbles. Silver Hand-Bags. Full line Ingersol Watches, Toilet Cases, etc.

Francis Missey Fertie.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Quaker, Mo.

Nancy Osia	
farry D. Sappington Troutt.	
Bessie Kelso Shirley,	
Silas A. Sparke Troutt.	
Claie Mary Calvert Sullivan,	
Vanted-Railroad Ties	

and Mine Props.

entitt, 2815 Bussell Ave., St. Louis, tie yards near depot for prices.

Remodeling Sale

NOW GOING ON AT J. N. Richard's Clothing Store SLAIS BUILDING, POTOSI

MEN'S, LADIES' AND BOYS' SUITS OVERCOATS, LADIES' COATS, LADIES' SKIRTS AND WAISTS, CAPS AND GLOVES.

LADIES SUITS AND COATS MUST GO.

Ladies coats which were \$6 now only	\$1.98
\$8.50 to \$10 Ladies coats now sell at	\$3.98
Coats from \$10 to \$18 now sell for	40, 40
Ladies suits that sold for \$8 now go at	\$3.48
Ladies \$12 to \$15 suits sell at	\$5,48

High-Grade Merchandise

was secured over four other bidders. Slaughtered in order to prepare our quarters for the opening of the Spring Season with a new stock.

> MANY ARTICLES SUITABLE FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS Don't Fail to Attend This Remarkable Sale.

N. RICHARDS, POTOSI, MO.

NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS Taxes for 1915 Now Due

All money for taxes must be in hands of collector before close of business December 31st to avoid penalties added January 1st.

Send for statement, giving description of property (not later than December 25th, to insure reply), enclosing postage.

GEORGE CARR. Collector of the Revenue.

Church Announcements.

CATHOLIC CHURCH. The services at the Catholic Church under the direction of Mrs. George Hornsey, will render an appropriate

All the people of this mission are requested to attend. PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH. special program entitled, "Good Tidings of Great Joy," will be given by the members of the Sunday School. The exercises will consist of scripture the wedding had been solemnreadings, songs, recitations and solos. ized Thanksgiving. When the coun-

At the evening service, commencing at 7:30, the choir will render a special musical program, which will consist of anthems. Christmas bymns knew" it would be solemnized at

pared a splendid Christmas program, ocean. in attendance and to bring their sister of the bride. friends with them.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' after which they will be at home at

MEETING. Notice is hereby given that the au- The bride is the youngest daughter purpose of telling us that he is well for making good road surface. Where nual stockholders' meeting of the of Mrs. Thomasson and a young lady pleased with the Journal, which he be- creek gravel has been deposited on Bank of Potori will be held at its of rare gifts and graces. Her beauty the new grading the road was cut up banking house in the city of Potosi, and amiableness had won for her the into rats and was very rough, but in Missouri, on the fourth day of Janua- distinction of being recognized as one the stretches were the natural soil, ry, 1916. Said meeting will be con- of the belles of our city. She vas which is heavily mixed with small vened at 9 o'clock a. m. and continued court stenographer for several years flint's ones was affowed to form the during as least three hours, unless and won the friendship of all who surface the road was in far better the object for which such meeting is knewher. She was active in church shape. This flint-mingled soil seems called be accomplished sooner. The circles, and the only regret felt at her to have a tendency to pack quicker and purpose for which this meeting is marriage is the fact that it will mean smoother than creek gravel. As it is called is to elect five directors for said her removal from our city. right at hand for miles along the road bank, to serve during the ensuing. The groom is of the good old Washit would make a far cheap surfacing year, and for the transaction of any ington County family of Garretts, material than gravel, which must be other business which may properly which has produced a long line of H. L. WHITE, President.

I. B. HEADLEE, Secretary.

Bismarck.

Dr. Eaton and wife refurned home last Tuesday from their trip to California.

O. W. Ramsey made a business trip to Poplar Bleff Thursday last. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Moody of St.

Louis are visiting relatives here. W. J. Dent and wife of Caledonia were here last Wednesday, enroute to Columbia, No., to spend the holidays mitting effort and "enduring to the with relatives.

Mrs. Richard Bradley of Webb City is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. V. Johnson, here.

The Bank of Bismarck declared its semi-annual divided last week and aiso transferred \$1,000 from its profits to its permanent surplus.

We are pleased to note that Mesers. I am now located at Potosi for the Ed and Louis Johnson have purchas-We welcome such splendid families

No False Alarm for Lynn this Time

Lynn W. Garrett, Jr., and Miss Lena Williams were married last Saturday Christmas day will be more elaborate evening at the residence of the bride's than usual. High mass at 6 o'clock, mother, Mrs. Vorena Thomasson, on sharp, and third mass at Potosi. The Cedar street, the Rev. Del Longgrear, choir, composed of trained singers, paster of the First Methodist Church officiating.

The wedding was the culmination program. The second mass will be of a courtship extending over a period held at Mineral Point at 80'clock, at several months. The popularity of the young couple had caused much speculation as to when the event would transpire, and Dame Rumor had frequently busied herself in this On Sunday, Dec. 26th, at Il a. m., affair of Dan Cupid, only to be outwitted each time. The report was circulated, and even published in newspaper in an adjoining city, that where they will always find a ready There will be a short address by the ty papers last week published the information that the license had been issued, speculation ran rife. Many insisted the ceremony had already been performed, while others "just church Sunday morning or evening.

Subject of address. "Faint, Yet Pur- But all guesses went wrong. in the quietness of the Towish Sab-You are cordially invited to attend bath an automobile whirred its way to the parsonage and picked up the Dominie, deposited him at the bride's On Sunday, December 26th, at 3 p. home, and a quarter of an hour later. m., Rev. Chas. W. Anderson will the yows had been spoken, the compreach at the Hochstatter school pact acknowledged, the bride-likely the blade did not penetrate deep house. The young people of the day wise the groom had been duly kissschool, under the leadership of Miss ed. and another barque had been Maggie Dec, their teacher, have pre- launched upon the matrimonial

which will be given at that time. All There were present besides the conour .friends at Hopewell and in the tracting parties only the bride's moth-Hochstatter district are asked to be er and Mrs. Stone, of Farmington, a

A few moments later the couple boarded an Iron Mountain train for a to his bed during the interval. honeymoon trip through the South, Desloge.

worthy citizens. He is a young man of more than ordinary intelligence. possessed of sterling character, of ability and christian uprightness him among men of affairs. He is cashier of the Bank of Desioge. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett have the very

best wishes of everyone fortunate enough to know them, and each may be well showered with congratulations on the choice made for a life partner. Bismarck Gazette.

Chamberlain's Recipe for Suco

One night at Lady Jeune's house Jo

seph Chamberlain said to me that he believed any man of even moderate endowment could attain any given aim which he set before him with unre end." To my question, "Why, then, do tions?" he answered: "They come to the place where they turn back. They may have killed the draton at the first bridge and at the second, perhaps at more formidable the further we go. Many turn back disheartened, and very few will meet the monsters to the end. Almost none is willing to have a try with the demon at the last bridge; but if he does, he has won forever."-Princess Lazarovich Hrebe-

THIS HOLIDAY SEASON

Gives us an opportunity to extend

Christmas Greetings

to all our friends, and to express appreciation for the good will you have shown us during the past year. You have our best wishes for a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

Washington County Bank POTOSI, MO.



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broadale.

Since 1816

in Irondale Monday, enroute to De regulate the disposition of

Louis Monday. County Superintendent of Schools

B. Fox of Potosi made our school an official visit last Monday. was here Tuesday on his way to St.

Mrs. W. H. Martin made a trip to St. Louis Wednesday.

Mr. Thomas Denton of Hickory Grove died unexpectedly on the 15th inst. He had been feeling ill only a lew days and had not been confined

Born, to Mrs. Andrew King of this place, Dec. 11th, a daughter.

to Caledonia, where his family was visiting. One of his children was taken very sick there.

W. W. Gibson of Caledyn's returns ed home Friday from De Soto. Mrs. W. F. Bond returned home

from Ironton Sunday. Homer Humphrey, who is a student PROOF FROM MINERAL POINT. at the State University at Columbia, came home Saturday for the holiday Mineral Point Citizens Speak Out

Our venerable townsman Mr. James

VanLear is on the sick list. French, who have been ill for some ney Pills as highly as here in time, are not improving, we regret to Potosi. Being so nearby, a

rondale Special Road District has issued notice of an election for the Potesi people, who will do well purpose of passing on the proposition to profit by Mr. Higgins' experof issuing \$15,000 five percent road ience. n taxes it involves.

Cupid's Caviar Hone, moon. son, a magazine writer, and Miss Elsenor Plowers, an actress, just before they were married by Judge George cretions. They are the best C. Tennant in the courthouse at Jer- kidney medicine I ever used." sey City.

posity with the Pine Aris theater in N. Y.

The Thelluson law, once enacted by Mrs. Pat Thomas of Caledonia was the British government, was a law to by will and to prevent the excessive accumulation of estates. It had a curtous origin. On the 27th of July. 1797, one Peter Thelluson, an English merchant of French birth, died in Lon don, leaving a certain sum to his widow and children and the remainder Bee Walton, a Caledonia merchant, of his property, then amounting to several hundred thousand dollars, to trustees to accumulate during the lives of his children, granfchildren and great-grandchildren living at the time of his death, and the survivors of them. The accumulation would have been enormous. The will was contested, but was held valid. In order, however, to prevent such a disposition of property in the future, parliament passed what was called the Thelluson act, or accumulations act, regulating and limiting bequests in such a way Joseph Adams of Leadwood passed as to make great accumulations imthrough our burg Friday last, going possible. When Peter Thelluson's last surviving grandson died, in 1856, a question arose as to whether the eldest male descendant or the male descendant of the eldest son should in Rev. O. S. Taylor went to DesArc herit the property, and this question Saturday to fill his regular appoint- was decided on appeal by the house of lords in June, 1859. The Thelluson will and the legislation growing out

of it were a subject of much discus-

Plainly. In Mineral Point we find that Bichard Turner and Theodore people are praising Doan's Kidstatement of a Mineral Point cit-The board of commissioners of the izen is of particusr interest to

improvement bonds. This proposition T. H. Higgins, farmer, Minerwas up before the voters a month ago, al Point, Mo., says: "I had a but was defeated by more than forty at Point, Mo., says: I had a votes. And now we are to have it lame back and sharp pains across There is opposition to the my kidneys. I couldn't rest roposition on account of the increase well and in the morning was stiff and lame. I often had to pass, the kidney secretions too That their honeymoon will be to often. Doan's Kidney Pills re-Russis was announced by Gregory Ma- moved the lameness and regulated the passage of the kidney se-

Price 50c, at all dealers. Den't are stated in the Outlook, while his get Doan's Kidney Pills, the same that Mr. Higgins had.